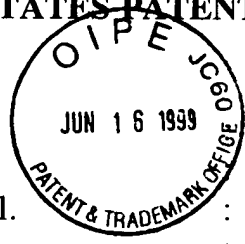


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Please amend please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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Kindly amend the specification as follows:

On page 1, line 10, replace "multi-articulate" with --multi-articulated--.

On page 1, line 11, delete "d".

On page 1, line 12, after "medium having", insert --the method--.

On page 1, line 12, after "thereon", insert --,--.

On page 1, line 13, delete "the method".